

COL. PEASE'S DEATH MAY END ATTEMPT TO MAKE TAXPAYERS GIVE \$2,500 FOR CITY HISTORY

The sudden death of Col. LeRoy B. Pease at Utica, N. Y., yesterday will probably end the plan to publish the mysterious \$2,500 history of Bridgeport about which so much has been known. Col. Pease was the head of the Pease Publishing Co. which engaged to do the work. Associated with Mr. Pease was a Mr. Alloway of New York city but he has not been in Bridgeport in several weeks.

Colonel Pease was commander of G. K. Warren Post, G. A. R. of Brooklyn. He fell dead of apoplexy yesterday, as he marched in a parade of veterans on their way to the fifty-eighth annual encampment of the New York Grand Army of the Republic at the State armory. He pitched forward just as he ascended the army steps, and an American flag which he was waving dropped out of his hand. Physicians who reached his side immediately after he was carried into the building said that death was instantaneous.

Col. James D. Bell, past department commander, took charge of the body

and later sent it to his home at 132 Winthrop street, Brooklyn.

Col. Pease was 74 years old and was one of the best known civil war veterans in Kings county. He started to earn his living as a printer and in 1869 he established the Rockville Advertiser in Rockville Centre, Conn. He served three years in the civil war and was wounded three times. He spent several months in Richmond as a spy in the service of a woman. While in a Connecticut regiment he was brevetted as a colonel for distinguished service in action.

Col. Pease worked as a journeyman printer for three years after the war. He founded the Evening Reporter at Woonsocket, R. I., in 1878, thus starting New England's first penny daily. He continued to edit it until 1897, when he retired from business. He is said to have been the first publisher in the United States to take both the Associated Press and the United Press news services.

He is survived by a daughter and two stepsons all of Brooklyn.

PRISONER, ON WAY TO COURT, MAKES ESCAPE

Hunt Slips Out of Line and Enjoys Short Freedom at Boarding House

Disappearing from the line of prisoners being taken from the cell room at police headquarters to the city court chamber, Joseph Hunt of 126 Englewood avenue, made his escape from the building unnoticed by any of the attendants and as a result his case was not brought up in court. He was caught later at his boarding place.

Hunt was arrested by Policeman John A. Burnes at Wall and Middle streets last night and was charged with drunkenness. Russell was arrested with him and held for investigation as it was alleged that he was picking the pockets of Hunt.

The pair were released when Assistant Prosecuting Attorney E. Earle Garlick with his parents came along in an automobile. Hunt was lying on the sidewalk and Russell was bending over him, in the effort to get him to his feet and take him home. His actions aroused the suspicions of the assistant prosecuting attorney and Policeman Burnes arrested him.

Hunt claimed to have lost \$25 and a scarf pin, but nothing was found on Russell when searched.

This morning when the prisoners in the cell room were led up the rear stairs to the court room, Hunt was in the line. When the court room was reached he had disappeared and no one seemed to know anything of his disappearance.

When questioned Russell stated that in going up the stairs Hunt was four or five persons ahead of him in the line. He stated that he knew nothing of Hunt's escape and said that one of the policemen asked him after he was placed in the prisoners' pen if he could tell them anything about Hunt getting away.

It is assumed that in going up the stairs, Hunt when passing the women's cellroom on the first landing, hid himself in the room and the other prisoners passed right on. When the other prisoners and the officers had gone in the courtroom Hunt is believed to have sneaked back down the stairs and to liberty by means of a rear door after they were around the charities department side of the building or scaling the fence in the rear of headquarters.

Policemen Burnes and Stephen Kelly, Jr., were sent out in the department automobile and rearrested him at his boarding house.

Russell denies that he was picking Hunt's pockets and says that he was simply helping him home.

Casement is Sentenced To Death For Treason

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rights of their country.

Mr. Jones' speech occupied a little more than half an hour, after which Frederick Smith began summing up. The attorney general dwelt on the true between the Irish parties. He said the question he asked at the beginning—why Sir Roger had gone to Germany—had been answered because no answer was possible. Sir Roger had gone to make arrangements to raise "the hideous spectre of insurrection in Ireland."

After defining the law of treason, the chief justice then pointed out that many facts in the case were undisputed. Adjudgment was taken for lunch before the chief justice had concluded his charge.

The jury retired at 2:55 o'clock.

SUES TROLLEY COMPANY

Suit has been brought against the Connecticut Co. by Walter Stapleton of this city asking \$500 for damage done to his horse and wagon which was struck by a trolley car at Main and French streets March 7. The suit instituted by Attorney Edward J. McManus alleges negligence on the part of the trolley company. It is returnable in the city court.

HADLEY'S LARGE WAREHOUSE BIG HELP TO TRADE

Largest Institution of the Sort in Bridgeport Gives Patrons Great Scope

Through negotiations of Manager Richard Opper of the Hadley Co., furniture dealers of Broad and John streets, another immense warehouse has been added to those already owned by the company. The building which has been leased for an indefinite period has 20,000 feet of floor space and it adjoins the big warehouse now occupied by the Hadley Co. there. It was leased from Col. Tracy B. Warren and when alterations are completed the Hadley Co. will move its storehouse from Water street to the new location.

When completed it will be the largest storehouse of its kind in Bridgeport and will be of great benefit to the patrons of the Hadley Co. as it will allow the management to carry larger and more extensive lines of all stock. It will also permit immediate delivery after sales and prevent vexatious waits which frequently occur in business nowadays, due to the uncertainty of railroad shipments. Many times heretofore it has been necessary for the Hadley Co. to send to New York for styles of furniture that have met popular demand. With the new storehouse filled, this will not happen and customers will be assured of prompt delivery of almost any style of furniture on display in the spacious show rooms of the company.

In the rear of the new warehouse a modern garage of reinforced concrete construction will be erected roomy enough to accommodate the six big trucks of the company. There will also be a repair shop and tool room attached. Arrangements will be made so that any sample in the warehouse may be rapidly sent to the show rooms or delivered to a customer.

When alterations are completed the two buildings will be made into one and all the latest devices used in storehouses for quickly handling furniture will be installed. Many of these devices are the ideas of Manager Opper, gained in his years of experience in the business. Four freight elevators will be installed to facilitate the handling of stock.

Many new and inviting designs have been added to the stock and the company is prepared to handle anything from the smallest chair to the outfitting of the largest mansion. At the show rooms in Bridgeport may be seen samples of this big stock with much seasonable articles including bedsteads and porch furniture in many materials. In a few weeks fall and winter styles will be shown.

MEXICANS FIRE ON U.S. GUARD AT BROWNSVILLE

Brownsville, Tex., June 29.—A military outpost stationed at an irrigation plant two miles west of Brownsville, was fired on by two Mexicans at midnight last night. The Americans returned the fire, 15 or 20 shots being exchanged. The two Mexicans who fired were not followed, the outpost expecting a heavier attack. None of the Americans was hit.

SENATE PASSES EMERGENCY BILL OF \$27,536,000

Washington, June 29.—An urgent deficiency bill appropriating \$27,536,000 for emergency expenses connected with the movement of the national guard to the Mexican border was passed by the Senate today without debate. It already had passed the House.

FIRST COMMAND OF MILITIAMEN ACROSS BORDER

Columbus, N. M., June 29.—For the first time since their mobilization on the border national guardsmen today were in Mexico on military service. Three motor trucks were loaded with New Mexico guardsmen last night and dispatched down General Pershing's line of communication to help guard against its being cut. This action was taken following receipt of a report that a large force of Carranza cavalry had been concentrated at or near Guzman on the Mexico Northwestern Railroad.

Such troops would be in a position to interrupt the American communications which are only 10 miles distant from Guzman.

President To Speak To Advertising Clubs

Philadelphia, June 29.—President Wilson will address the members of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World at a mass meeting in Independence Square this afternoon unless he is unexpectedly detained in Washington.

Washington, June 29.—President Wilson arranged today to go to Philadelphia to deliver an address this afternoon before the convention of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World at a mass meeting in Independence Square this afternoon unless he is unexpectedly detained in Washington.

An additional bonus of 25 cents a day to all employees of the Calumet & Hecla Mining Co., and its subsidiaries was announced.

STORES TO VARY SELECTION OF HOUR OF CLOSING

Civic Bodies' Recommendation for Summer Schedule Not Approved.

Though meetings of both the Business Men's Association and the Chamber of Commerce have ratified a project looking towards the closing of all stores in this city between July 4 and Labor Day at 5 o'clock every evening except Saturdays, it is unlikely that the program will be carried out.

Some of the merchants whose representatives' names appear upon the committee of the chamber of commerce advocating the 5 o'clock closing "insofar as is consistent with good business" have indicated that their policy will be different and as a result confusion reigns among the clerks today.

Robert Marshall, business agent of the Retail Clerks' Association, who has made a canvass of the stores in this city, said today that there will be some variance in the closing hours of Main street business houses. Some stores may even close on Wednesday afternoon in order to keep open late on Saturday. Another is reported as deciding to close at 6 o'clock Saturday night.

BOIL THE MILK AND THUS AVERT DISEASE DANGER

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illitis and pharyngitis. In the Chicago epidemic the pulse seemed relatively slow, and Brooks also notes that in the outbreak described by him the pulse-rate was increased in proportion to the fever. Naturally diphtheria was first suspected and in Christiania the notice of the health department was aroused by the large number of cases which were reported by physicians and found to consist of streptococci only. Usually the lymph-nodes in the neck became enlarged, sometimes very much so, but in some cases they were tender without marked swelling. A moderate leukocytosis has been noted.

"In most cases of the recent epidemic the attack would subside rather abruptly after a few days, the patient remaining prostrated, however, and regaining strength only slowly; but not infrequently a second attack with even severer symptoms than the first would set in after a week or so of improvement. This tendency to relapse has been noted in the earlier epidemics also.

"The great danger in epidemic sore throat lies in extension and generalization of the infection, and it is this tendency which stamps the disease as peculiar and as due to a virus of special virulence. In the recent epidemic besides abscesses in the neck, often deep-seated, there were encountered otitis, glossitis and other local complications, erysipelas, purpura and scarlatiniform eruptions, acute arthritis, rheumatism, conditions indistinguishable therefrom with or without endocarditis, and also suppurative arthritis, pneumonia, peritonitis and other septicemic manifestations. Instances of phlegmonous angina have been described. Davis observed that when there was pronounced glandular involvement of the neck, cultures of the blood were usually sterile; while in many cases with no glandular enlargement of the glands, streptococci were obtained, and in such cases visceral lesions were common. In the Boston epidemic the severity of the symptoms seemed most serious in persons between the ages of 40 and 60. 'Cambridge is like a city of the plague. Whoever one meets the talk is all of who is ill, who has had a relapse, who has died.' In children there seemed to be a degree of relative immunity, and when the infection took hold in children the symptoms were generally mild and unimportant.

"Statistics giving the relations of the various outstanding manifestations of general infection to the different age periods are not available, nor is any reliable knowledge with regard to the death-rate. That it may be high, higher perhaps than at first expected, would seem to be indicated by the cases of the Boston epidemic. In a group of 173 cases in which 19 deaths occurred; it is probable, however, that these were all exceptionally severe cases. It is of interest that in other epidemics of the period mentioned as present in about half of the fatal cases.

"Freble, in commenting on the peculiarities of the clinical picture of the Chicago cases, states that a temperature of 102 might be associated with a pulse of 40, and one of 104 or 106 with a pulse of between 80 and 90. He states also that in some of the cases, extending over months, there would be little anemia, and that jaundice was rare, all of which leads him to suggest that possibly it concerned infection of some kind, but with the ordinary streptococcus."

Price Obtained For Stock Insufficient, Claim of Taylor Heirs

The affairs of Nelson Taylor, who took his life in 1912 after a Russian baroness he married had deserted him in Norway, were discussed before Judge Curtis in the superior court this morning when the question of settling the \$700,000 estate was asked. Dan Harlan F. Stone of the Columbia university law school and Wilson P. Foss, the executor of the estate, were asked to furnish an accounting of the sale of certain stock of the Baker-Taylor Co. of New York for \$400,000.

Two of the Taylor heirs, Cornelius Andrews of Seattle, Wash., and Henrietta Hayes of Stamford, appeared from the decision of the New York probate court, which allowed the sale. They said the executors had no authority to make the sale and that the price procured was not sufficient. It was stated by the executor that the stock was originally worth \$400,000 but when the company was reorganized a price of \$400,000 was offered for the Taylor shares. Judge Curtis reserved decision.

White Hackle, the \$20,000 horse owned by W. R. Coe, died of pleuropneumonia at Belmont Park, N. Y.

Two ribs broken When Mousatous Is Hit By Auto

Michael Mousatous of 2214 Fairfield avenue is in the Bridgeport hospital with two fractured ribs as the result of being struck by an automobile at 8 o'clock yesterday morning as he alighted from a trolley car in Stratford avenue near Bunnell street. The automobile was owned and driven by John Lund of 131 Brockton street. He reported the accident to the police late yesterday afternoon.

BRIDGEPORT'S NEWEST STORE

Men, Women, Young Men & Boys Are Cordially Invited to Visit This

OPENS SATURDAY

The Ninth in the Brill Chain — Which

At 1192 Main Street, Near Golden Hill Street.

The opening of this store marks Brill Brothers' entry in the East—to many of the men and women of Bridgeport and its vicinity we are no doubt well known—the thousands of others we hope soon to know, to serve and to be known by.

We bring to you a message whose keynote is economy and whose topline is satisfaction. Our purpose will be to offer you something essentially new and better in service, in merchandise and in values.

The men, young men and boys of Bridgeport will find here the very newest, smartest and choicest Clothing, Hats and Haberdashery obtainable anywhere in America, at the prices at which they will be offered—Fit, finish, superb style and good taste will mark every garment.

The store will be opened at 10 A. M. Saturday morning. "Lookers" will be as welcome as "buyers"; a polite, intelligent and capable sales force, carefully selected from among the best Bridgeport itself had to offer us, will be on hand to meet you, to greet you and to serve you.

The first ten purchasers in each department of the store will have their names inscribed on our Charter Roll and will receive on each anniversary of the store's opening a souvenir of a substantial sort.

Brill Brothers

Eight Other Brill Stores—in New York and New Jersey

279 BROADWAY, NEAR CHAMBERS STREET
Broadway, at 49th Street
UNION SQUARE, 14th STREET, NEAR BROADWAY
47 Cortlandt Street, near Greenwich
FLATBUSH AVE., AT FULTON STREET, BROOKLYN
And Our New Newark Store—791 Broad Street, at Market

TO APPROPRIATE \$20,000 TO BUY OLD PARSONAGE

County Commissioners and Senators Vote to Purchase Wheeler's Property.

At a meeting of the county senators and representatives this afternoon it was voted that a sum not to exceed \$20,000 be appropriated for the purchase of the old parsonage at the corner of the First Congregational parsonage property, which adjoins the county courthouse on the west. The money is to be raised by notes. When the question was put to a vote there was not a dissenting voice.

Before the vote was taken Justice George W. Wheeler of the supreme court addressed the gathering by invitation. He said it would be unwise not to purchase the property because the appearance of the building would be marred if an apartment house were erected on the adjoining property as had been contemplated.

He declared such a building would shut out the light from the court house and make that wing of the building unhealthy. Justice Wheeler said he understood Samuel H. Wheeler paid the church society \$15,000 for the property and he thought the county could purchase it for at least a small increase. The justice stated that this county is destined to be the most populous in the state and it would be well for the legislators to think of the future.

There was some opposition to the resolution appropriating \$12,000 for the purchase of an automobile for County Sealer William R. Brown. Senator William H. Comley, Jr., wanted to know if the sealer's office would be increased by reason of having an automobile and Commissioner Brophy said he did not think so. After some debate the resolution was passed by 14 to 4. It was explained that the \$12,000 would come from the surplus of the sealer's account.

Representative Harry R. Sherwood of Westport asked a few questions about conditions at the county home in Norwalk. He said he understood the girls and boys slept on the same floor without any official to keep watch. He thought money should be appropriated so that somebody could be on guard through the night. It was voted that the appropriation be increased from \$37,000 to \$37,700, to provide for another employee who shall be on night duty.

The county tax was not laid as the new law provides that each county shall submit a report showing what will be needed and the tax will be levied by the state so each town and city shall pay its pro rata share.

YOUNG WOMEN TO AID IN PLANS FOR IRELAND'S TAG DAY

Co-operation of young women of Bridgeport is essential to the success of the tag day which the Irish societies of this city are planned to carry out on Saturday.

To that end, the committee in charge of the enterprise today announced that all young women who are willing to volunteer their services should report their names to Daniel J. O'Connor, proprietor of the Arcade barber shop, or report in person at the United Irish Societies hall, in State street, at 10 o'clock Saturday morning.

The success of tag day in New Haven when more than \$6,000 was netted for the war sufferers in Ireland, has stimulated the Bridgeporters to unusual activity.

DIED.

DONNELLY—In this city, June 27, 1916. Cornelius J. Donnelly, Sr., aged 83 years. Friends are invited to attend the funeral at his late residence, No. 498 South avenue on Friday, June 30 at 8:30 a. m., and from Sacred Heart church at 9 a. m. with solemn high mass.

Interment at St. Michael's cemetery. D 23 b*

GAFFNEY—In this city, Wednesday, June 28, 1916. Catherine Cecilia, beloved daughter of Clarence E. and Catherine Gaffney, aged 8 years, 6 months, 13 days.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from the residence of the parents, No. 455 Stillman street, on Saturday, July 1st at 8:30 a. m., and from St. Charles' church at 9 o'clock.

Burial at St. Michael's cemetery. D 23 b*

MASON—In this city, June 27, 1916. James D. Moran, aged 43 years. Friends are invited to attend the funeral at the residence of her grandmother, Mrs. John Gormley, 511 Pembroke St., on Saturday, July 1, at 8:30 a. m., and from St. Mary's church at 9 a. m.

Interment at St. Michael's cemetery. D 23 b*

O'LEARY—In New York, June 27, 1916. Jeremiah O'Leary, brother of Michael O'Leary of 724 Railroad avenue, aged 20 years.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from the residence of her son-in-law, Frank X. Berger, 1923 North Avenue, on Friday, June 30, at 8:30 a. m. and from St. Patrick's church at 9 a. m.

Interment at St. Michael's cemetery. D 23 b*

QUERRY—In this city, June 28, 1916. Rosa J., widow of the late Thomas L. Querry.

Friends are invited to attend the funeral from the residence of her son-in-law, Frank X. Berger, 1923 North Avenue, on Friday, June 30, at 8:30 a. m. and from St. Patrick's church at 9 a. m.

Interment at St. Michael's cemetery. D 23 b*

BELL—In Danbury, June 23, George M. Bell, aged 77 years.

An order for 6,000,000 cartridges was placed with the United States Cartridge Co. by the government.

The Berlin "Tagblatt" has been suppressed.

SAFETY RAZOR BLADES resharpened, 25c dozen. 1989 Main St. D 29 a*p

FOR SALE OR FOR RENT—Fully furnished flat with improvements. Address W. W. Care of Farmer. D 29 a*

PIANO \$95—Keller upright walnut case with empire top, good condition. 21 weekly. Steinert's Piano Store, 915 Main St. near State. D 29 a*

PIANO \$125—Mathushek upright. Thoroughly overhauled, \$1.25 weekly. Steinert's Piano Store, 915 Main St. near State. D 29 a*

ONE FURNISHED ROOM for light housekeeping or two unfurnished by July 1st for man, wife and child, about \$4 or \$5. Address Box M. F. H., this paper. D 29 b*p

STRATFORD RELIABLE FENCE CO., Box 200, E. Stratford, Conn. Erectors of iron and wire fences, combination ash box and rubbish burner; clothes pole setting. Phone 2618-12. a*p

STEINWAY PIANO—Less than one half original price. Second hand, but guaranteed to be in fine condition. \$2.50 weekly. Steinert's Piano Store, 915 Main St. near State. D 29 a*

AEOLIAN PLAYER PIANO—Has been used but guaranteed same as new. Liberal discount from regular price. \$2.50 weekly. Steinert's Piano Store, 915 Main St. near State. D 29 a*

SHOW CASES for sale. Combination safe, dog house, hand organ, butcher's fixtures, direct current fan, wall case, furniture, etc. I buy everything. Daniel P. Keane, 1385 Main street. a*p

AUCTION SALE Saturday afternoon, 2:30, July 1st. I will sell at public auction two beautiful building lots overlooking the city and Sound, situated on Soundview Ave., Hollister Heights. Take Barnum Avenue car to school house on corner of Soundview Avenue and walk for two minutes south to lots. Daniel P. Keane Auctioneer, 1385 Main street. a*p

STATE OF CONNECTICUT, DISTRICT OF BRIDGEPORT, ss., PROBATE COURT.

June 27, A. D., 1916.

Estate of Elsie Eberhard, late of the town of Bridgeport, in said district, deceased.

The executor having exhibited his account with said estate to this court for allowance, it is ordered that the 18th day of July, A. D., 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Probate office in Bridgeport, be, and the same is, assigned for a hearing on the allowance of said account, and this court directs the executor to give notice thereof, by publishing this order once in some newspaper having a circulation in said district and by leaving with or by mailing in letters addressed to each of the persons interested, who live in the United States a copy of this order, all at least ten days before said day of hearing and return make to this court.

Attest.

PAUL L. MILLER, Judge.

"The Biscuits raise like an extension ladder."
Henry Helm, Battalion Chief New York Fire Dept.



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